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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT
AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Applicant : JOBETTO et al
Serial No. : 10/826,039
Filed : APRIL 16, 2004
For : SEMICONDUCTOR DEVICE AND METHOD
OF MANUFACTURING THE SAME
Art Unit : 2814
Examiner : PHAM, LONG
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This is responsive to the Office Action mailed
September 14, 2005, the term for response to which expires on
October 14, 2005.

ELECTION

Applicants hereby elect Species I, Fig. 1, for further
prosecution on the merits, without traverse.

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CLAIMS READABLE ON ELECTED SPECIES

The claims readable on elected Species I, Fig. 1, are claims 1-17, 22 and 23.

Claims 1-3, 5, 8-10, 15-17 and 22 are generic to all of Species I (Fig. 1), Species II (Fig. 55) and Species III (Fig. 69).

Claims 4, 6, 7, 14 and 23 are generic to Species I (Fig. 1) and Species II (Fig. 55).

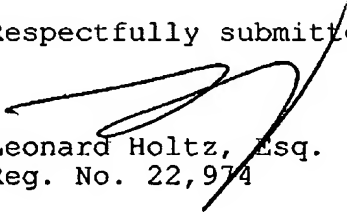
It is respectfully requested that prosecution on the merits now proceed on the basis of the election set forth above.

It is respectfully submitted that this submission is fully responsive to the outstanding Office Action.

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If the Examiner has any comments, questions, objections or recommendations, the Examiner is invited to telephone the undersigned at the telephone number given below for prompt action.

Respectfully submitted,


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